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Applicant: SANO, Osamu Conf.: 4434  
Appl. No.: 09/582,870 Group: 3611  
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Apparatus Using the Same

DRAWING CORRECTION AUTHORIZATION REQUEST

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Sir:

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Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner's authorization of the drawing corrections shown in red ink on the attached sheet(s) as follows:

Figs. 1-6: Please label as "PRIOR ART".

No new matter has been added by these changes. These drawing changes will be implemented into formal drawings by Applicant's bonded draftsman upon approval by the Examiner and subsequent allowance of the application.

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If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and further replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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Attachments: Figs. 1-6 (six sheets)

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